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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

For the Year Ending April 20, 1891.

In presenting this report of the condition of our schools for the year just closed, we have the pleasure of congratulating the town upon their success. We have no failures to report. All our schools have been meritorious. We have for the most part employed teachers from our own town. This fact, together with the fact that a large number of our past students are employed as teachers in other towns every year with marked success, speaks well for the school system of Marlow.

In Division 1 Miss Flora Farley was employed as teacher for the year, with very good results. The discipline was very strict, in fact the most rigid of all our schools. The examination showed good progress; and in the temperance primer the best in town.

In Division 3 Miss Alice Huntley taught the summer term, and Miss Lottie King the fall term; both teaching for the first time, and each school a success.

In Division 4 Miss Hattie Whittemore's services were again secured as teacher for the year, making eight years of consecutive teaching in this school. This has always been our best school, and at no time has Miss Whittemore done better work than in the past year.

In Division 5 Miss Eliza Gee filled the roll of teacher for the year with the best of results. This is the most advanced common school in town outside the village schools.

In Division 6 Miss Gertie Friend taught the school both terms, gaining the love of her scholars and the respect of the entire district. The students are mostly young, but here we have some excellent scholars.

School Division 7 was under the care of Miss Luella Farnsworth for the year; gaining the good will of her scholars it was not strange that the examination showed excellent work.

Miss Lizzie Duffee taught the summer term in Division 8 with good success. In the fall we secured the services of Alice Huntley. This was one our best schools. Excellent progress was made, especially in spelling. Eva Cummings missed only one word in 680 spelled.

The winter school and the High school were under the instruction of F. E. Ball. Mr. Ball has taught four times in this school without a murmur from parent or scholar, which would indicate that we now have the right teacher for this school. Written examinations have been practiced to some extent; the essays on the Temperance Hygiene being of a high order, showing good progress in that important study.

We think our schools will compare to their advantage with those of past years, and with the schools of other towns in this vicinity.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

The school fund is derived from the following sources:

Town School Tax,	$822 60
Selectmen receipt fund,	60 30
Legacy of Asa Way,	26 85
Literary Fund,	116 48

Number of weeks of School, summer terms, 72 3-5 weeks; Fall and winter terms, 88 weeks; total, 160 3-5 weeks.

Number of scholars belonging to the town, 116.

The School Board have purchased for the use of the schools in town 708 books, have sold 18, the town now owning 690 volumes, as follows: 171 Readers, 134 Spellers, 128 Arithmetics, 35 Histories, 96 Physiologies, 21 Book Keeping, 23 Geographies, 10 Civil Government, 6 Physical Geographies, 34 Grammars, 6 Rhetorics, 7 Philosophies, 4 Algebras, 3 Chemistries and 12 Latin. The town now owns nearly every book used in town. Great care and a good deal of time has been spent in their selection, and we think we have the best books from the best authors, embracing the most modern methods of teaching.

The following text books have been legally adopted: Harper's series of Readers, Monroe's Primary Spellers and Sheldon's Word Studies, Greenleaf's series of Arithmetics, Pathfinder series of Physiologies, Barnes' U. S. History, Meservey's Book Keeping and Hyde's series of Grammars; and the entire cost of the school books to the town is $270. Amount of supplies purchased, $73.89.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Division 1.—Allie H. Priest.

Division 3.—Myrtie E. Huntley, Roy D. Huntley, Lulu G. Maddocks.

Division 4.—Elsie M. Elliott, Grace A. Honey, Jessie M. Perkins, Mabel M. Stearns, Eva A. Young, Clarence E. Booth, Amos Beckwith, Carl C. Fox.

Division 5.—Alice C. Lewis, Agnes E. Lewis, Grace E. Robbins, Alice L. Green, Fred L. Robbins.

Division 6. Clara L. Knight, Grace M. Knight, Elsie M. Howe, Robbie L. Howe.

Division 7.—Nora M. Flagg, Bertha M. Flagg, Grace A. French, Mabel C. Huntley, Lizzie M. Winham, Etta M. Winham, Abbie S. Winham, Edgar L. French, Harold W. Gee.

Division 8.—Eva C. Cummings, Annie M. Huntley, Bernie E. Badger.

High School.—Clara Temple, Bert F. Pitcher, Katie Duffee, Eva Farley, Emma Fox, Myrtie Towne, Charles Bennett, John Howe, Ervin Huntley.

In conclusion we have but few suggestions to make. We have maintained schools in every school house in town, believing that the interest of the town demand it. Beside, it costs but little more to hire a young teacher than to hire the scholars carried to a distant school. After five years of trial of the new school law the time has come when we may go back to the old system of district schools, but your committee can see no reason for such a change. Under the new law the village schools have lost nothing, while the other schools have never before had the advantages they have enjoyed under the town school system. But little outlay of money will be needed for books; and we would recommend the district to raise a small sum to help support the High School, believing that money spent in schooling our children is well spent, and will return a large per cent. of interest.

Respectfully submitted,

JONAS W. FLETCHER,
GEORGE S. RUSSELL,
PERLEY E. FOX,
} School Board of Marlow.

TABULAR VIEW OF SCHOOLS.

Number of Divions.	Number of Terms.	Names of Teachers.	Wages of teachers per month including board.	Cost of school a month per scholar.	Weeks of School.	Whole No. Pupils.	Average daily attendance.	Per cent. of daily attendance.	Tardiness.	Roll of Honor.	No. of visits by School Board.	No. of visits by others.	Reading.	Spelling.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Penmanship.	Grammar.	Composition.	U. S. History.	Physiology.	Other English Branches.	Latin.
1	1	Flora Farley.	$18 00	$2 00	9	9	6	96	4	1	2	20	8	6	4	2	7	1			4	2	
	2	" "	20 00	2 50	10	8	6.8	90				17	8	7	5	3	8	3			5	2	
3	1	Alice Huntley.	13 00	2 17	9	6	5.8	96		3	3	31	6	6	6	3	6	1					
	2	Lottie King.	13 00	1 63	10	8	6.6	91	2	2	2	17	8	8	7	4	7	2			1	5	
4	1	Hatttie Whittemore.	28 00	1 27	9	22	18	86	10	10	2	32	22	22	21	10	22	oral	3	5	18		
	2	" "	28 00	1 08	10	26	21	88	22	5	3	32	26	26	22	9	26		3	5	18		
5	1	Eliza Gee.	18 00	1 80	9	10	7.7	94	5	4	2	21	10	10	9	8	8		5	8			
	2	" "	18 00	2 00	10	9	7.5	93	3	4	2	4	9	9	8	4	8	3	3	1	8		
6	1	Gertie Friend.	18 00	1 64	9	11	10	96	4	4	2	31	11	11	9	7	10	2			4		
	2	" "	18 00	2 00	10	9	7	88	11	2	2	20	9	9	8	5	8	2			1		
7	1	Luella Farnsworth.	21 00	1 31	9	16	15	96		9	3	22	16	16	15	7	15			1	15		
	2	" "	23 00	1 44	10	18	14	89	14	4	2	12	18	18	16	10	15				11		
8	1	Lizzie Duffee.	12 00	1 71	7	5	5	95		2	3	16	7	6	7	3	6			1	4	2	
	1	Alice Huntley.	12 00	1 71	10	7	6.5	92	4	2	2	23	7	5	5	2	5				2		
High School	2	Fred C. Ball.	48 00	2 18	11	22	21	93		2	7	15	17	21	22	6	22	5				6	15
	2	" "	54 72	2 19	11	25	23	96		7	3	21	19	25	24	6	25		25	17	25	12	3
Winter	2	" "	48 00	1 72	7	28	24	98		8	4	10	26	27	26	4	28	5		16		23	5

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD,

For the Year Ending February 20, 1891.

COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

1890.		Cash on hand not expended last year.	$ 4 66
May	1,	Cash received of town treasurer not called for last year,	12 57
June	13,	Cash received of town treasurer,	400 00
Nov.	17,	" " " " "	100 00
Nov.	25,	" " " " "	100 00
Dec.	4,	" " " " "	100 00
1891.			
Feb.	7,	Lyman H. Huntley, grass on school house lot,	50
"		Cash received of town treasurer,	51 13
Feb.	18,	Cash of town of Lempster, tuition of Maddock children,	13 40
		Total receipts,	$782 26

Expenditures.

Apr.	26,	Paid Ella F. Huntley for cleaning school house in No. 7,	$ 1 00
May	3,	G. S. Russell, 2½ cords wood for Nos. 3 and 7,	10 00
May	6,	H. F. Russell, 1 cord wood for No. 6,	4 00
May	30,	Albert Downing, cleaning school house, and wood for No. 5,	4 25
"		C. H. Washburn, 1 cord wood for No. 1,	4 00
"		G. S. Russell and G. C. Friend, moving wood,	75
June	17,	Hattie Whittemore, for teaching Primary School 9 weeks, and care of school room, including board,	64 75
June	25,	Jennie M. Dodge for boarding teacher,	15 75
June	27,	Luella Farnsworth, for teaching 9 weeks in No. 7, summer term,	31 50
June	28,	Eliza Gee, teaching 9 weeks, including board, in No. 5	40 50
July	3,	Alice E. Huntley, for board and teaching 9 weeks in No. 3,	29 25
"		Flora C. Farley, for board and teaching 9 weeks in No. 1,	40 50
"		Lizzie M. Duffee for teaching 7½ weeks, including board, in No. 8,	22 50
July	4,	Gertie Friend, for teaching 9 weeks in No. 6,	27 00
July	9,	Geo. C. Friend, boarding teacher 9 weeks,	13 50

Aug. 23,	Geo. H. Howard, for cleaning school house in No. 1,	1 00
Aug. 27,	J. W. Fletcher, wood and care of school room in No 8,	1 25
Oct. 4,	Silas Stone, cleaning school house in No. 4,	2 25
Nov. 4,	Ollie B. Badger, wood for No. 8,	2 50
" 11,	Gertie M. Friend, teaching 10 weeks in No. 6, fall term,	30 00
" 12,	George C. Friend, boarding 10 weeks,	15 00
" "	Eliza Gee, for teaching and board 10 weeks in No 5,	45 00
" 14,	Luella E. Farnsworth, teaching 10 weeks and care of school room,	41 00
" 15,	Lottie D. King, teaching 10 weeks in No. 3,	17 50
" "	Alice E. Huntley, teaching 10 weeks, and care of school room in No. 8,	16 00
" 17,	Maurice Washburn, building fire and care of school room,	1 00
" "	Eliza E. Gee, care of school room,	1 00
" 18,	Willie A. Dodge, boarding teacher,	17 50
" 21,	Flora C. Farley, teaching 10 weeks, including board in No. 1,	50 00
" "	Hattie Whittemore, for teaching, board, and and care of school room 10 weeks, Primary Department,	72 50
" 25,	Clara Knight, building fire and care of school room in No. 6,	1 00
" 26,	L. H. Lewis, boarding teacher 10 weeks in No. 3,	15 00
" "	Ormand Lewis, building fire,	1 00
Dec. 2,	Henry H. Huntley, boarding teacher,	15 00
" 15,	H. F. Russell, 1 cord wood and sawing,	3 50
1891.		
Feb. 12,	P. E. Fox, 2 cords wood and sawing, for No. 4,	7 50
" "	J. W. Fletcher, stamps and stationery,	2 75
" 19,	H. F. & G. S. Russell, 1 cord wood for No. 4,	3 50
" "	Fred C. Ball, for teaching winter school in No. 4,	84 00
	Total orders paid,	$756 00
	Cash to balance,	26 00
		$782 26

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

1891.		
May 1,	Cash received of town treasurer not called for last year,	215 08
1891.		
Feb. 13,	Tuition of Gertie Friend, part of term,	2 00
" 7,	Cash received of town treasurer,	148 87
		$365 95

Expenditures.

1890.		
May 2,	Paid Fred C. Ball, for teaching High School 11 weeks, and care of school room,	135 25
" 3,	G. S. Russell, for 3½ cords wood,	14 00
Oct. 15,	Fred C. Ball, in part payment for teaching High School,	20 00
Nov. 17,	F. C. Ball, in part payment for teaching High School,	20 00
Dec. 13,	Fred C. Ball, remainder for teaching High High School,	110 00
	Total orders paid,	$299 25
	Cash to balance,	66 70
		$365 95

REPAIR ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

1890.		
	Cash on hand not expended last year,	6 33
Nov. 17,	Cash received of town treasurer,	100 00
		$106 33

Expenditures.

1890.		
Apr. 18,	Paid E. A. Jones for 18 lbs. nails,	1 10
May 3,	H. F. Russell, for 6 M. shingles, for school house in No. 7,	12 00
" "	3 days work shingling,	3 75
" "	G. S. Russell, 4 days work repairing and shingling,	5 00
Aug. 27,	J. W. Fletcher, for repairs on school house in No. 1,	1 86
Dec. 4,	Elbridge Phelps, for 5 book cupboards for school houses,	15 00
" 16,	E. Lovejoy, for painting school house in No. 5,	5 00
" 29,	F. E. Buswell, for 2 days work painting school house in No. 5,	4 00
,, ,,	E. A. Jones, for paint oil, etc.,	15 65
1891.		
Jan. 10,	P. E. Fox, for 2 new stoves, brooms, repairing stove, zinc, stove pipe and dipper,	14 91
	Total orders paid,	$78 27
	Cash to balance,	28 06
		$106 33

RECAPITULATION.

Whole amount brought from last year's account,	$ 238 64
For tuition,	15 40
Grass sold,	50
From town for schools,	1,026 13
From town for repairs,	100 00
	$1,380 67

Total paid for support of High School,	$ 299 25
For support of common schools,	756 00
Paid for repairs,	78 27
Cash in hands of District Treasurer,	121 02
Due from town for High School,	126 13
	$1,380 67

GEORGE S. RUSSELL,
Treasurer of School Board.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

For the Year Ending March 1, 1891.

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid April term of Court, 1890:	
Lyman Carpenter,	$ 26 70
Lyman Smith and family,	33 40
Oliver K. Gould and wife,	35 96
Joseph Duprie and family,	151 34
	$247 40
Received of the county of Cheshire,	$ 247 40
Paid Oct. term of Court, 1890:	
Lyman Carpenter,	29 00
Lyman Smith and family,	39 37
Oliver K. Gould and wife,	48 89
Joseph Duprie and family,	97 50
	$ 214 76
Received of the county of Cheshire,	$ 214 76

TOWN PAUPERS.

Paid for keeping two tramps,	$ 2 50
Lilla B. Winham and child—paid Mrs. E. B. Carpenter for board, care and clothing,	68 18
Paid Dr. Butler, medical attendance during childbirth,	9 17
	$79 85

AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

April term of Court:	
Paid Charles F. Nims,	$ 24 00
Received of the county of Cheshire,	$ 24 00
October term of Court:	
Paid Charles F. Nims,	$ 29 00
Received of the county of Cheshire,	$ 29 00

Respectfully submitted,

GRANVILL H. MESSER,

Overseer of the Poor.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN LIBRARY.

The trustees are pleased to be able to report very favorably upon the condition of the library. Since the last report the number of books has increased from 571 to 663. As is well remembered, a generous gift of fifty dollars from Hon. G. F. Tinker, of New London, Conn., enabled the trustees to procure many books they would not otherwise have deemed it advisable to purchase at once; among them were sets of Scott's and Dickens' works, Blaine's Twenty Years in Congress, Scribner's Battles and Leaders in Civil War (4 vols.). The trustees took action, as directed by the town, in expressing to the donor our appreciation of his gift.

An examination of the books discloses the fact that they are in fully as good condition as we have ever been able to report them. Excepting five, all are accounted for. These we do not consider lost, only mislaid.

From the Librarian's book we find that 203 persons have used the library, taking out 3,000 books, an average of 15 to each person; number of library days 104; average changes per day 29; largest number of books taken by one family 95; by one person 58, We recommend the usual appropriation for the purchase of books, and ten dollars for incidental expenses.

E. A. JONES, For Trustees.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

1890.	Dr.	
Mar. 1.	To bal. from 1889,	$ 15 02
May 1.	" Cash, town order,	50 00
	" " Tinker donation,	50 00
1891.		
Feb. 24.	" " Fines,	3 36
	" " Catalogues,	15
		$118 53

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1890.		
Apr. 30.	By freight and express,	$ 2 64
May 5.	" Hancock History,	3 50
" 6.	" Dewolf, Fiske & Co.,	63 68
	" Estes, Lauriat & Co.,	28 92
" 7.	" Librarian's book,	1 00
	" M'Collester's book,	2 00
June 13.	" Supplements,	2 40
Sept. 2.	" Binding,	5 80
Dec. 31.	" Paper (covers),	1 20
1891.		
Feb. 24.	" Binding,	4 10
Mar. 1.	" Cash to balance,	3 29
		$118 53

TRUSTEES.

W. G. BOOTH,	G. W. CLYDE,	term expires, 1891.
H. TOWNE,	E. G. HUNTLEY,	term expires, 1892.
J. M. PERKINS,	E. A. JONES,	term expires, 1893.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Valuation of the town of Marlow, as appraised by the Selectmen, April 1st, 1890, for the purpose of taxation:

Valuation of real estate,	$183,724 00
173 Polls,	17,300 00
188 horses,	15,830 00
2 mules,	200 00
89 oxen,	4,042 00
323 cows,	8,672 00
238 neat stock,	4,048 00
1,388 sheep,	3,966 00
34 hogs,	320 00
27 carriages,	1,676 00
Bank stock,	32,000 00
Money at interest,	22,782 00
Stock in trade,	11,630 00
Stock in bonds,	9,400 00
Stock in trust,	2,500 00
Mills and machinery,	8.140 00
Lumber and bark,	850 00
Hides,	500 00
	$327,580 00

TAXES ASSESSED.

Town tax,	$1,300 00
School tax,	822 50
Repairs for school buildings,	400 00
Highway tax,	400 00
Dog tax,	59 00
Non-resident highway taxes,	22 30
Overlay in assessments,	43 64
	$3,047 44
Highway tax paid in labor,	$400 00

Rate of taxation 90 cents on $100.
Rate of Highway, 12½ cents on $100.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS OF THE TOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1891.

Money in treasury March 1st, 1890,	$1,244,01
Taxes committed to Fred A. Lewis to collect for 1890,	3,047 44
Cash received from County Commissioners for support of county paupers,	462 16
Cash received from Co. Commissioners for support of dependent soldiers and families,	53 00

Cash received of State Treasurer, insurance tax,	7 50
Cash received of State Treasurer, savings bank tax,	2.915 36
Cash received of State Treasurer, literary fund,	129 47
Cash received of Fred A. Lewis, uncollected taxes and interest, for 1889,	240 00
Cash received of Fred L. Crammer,	100 00
Cash received of Wm. D. Friend for lot in cemetery,	10 00
Cash received of M. F. Jones for use of hearse to Alstead, Keene and Charlestown,	3 00
Cash received of F. A. Lewis, interest on taxes for 1890,	1 11
	$8,213 05

ORDERS DRAWN FOR PAYMENT OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Milan F. Jones, 1st Selectman, 1889,	$ 55 00
" " " " 1890,	60 00
William S. Gray, 2nd " 1889,	50 00
" " " " 1890,	52 00
Freeman Phelps, 3d " 1889,	40 00
" " " " 1890,	40 00
Granville H. Messer, Supervisor, 1889,	4 00
" " " 1890,	4 00
Ezra G. Huntley, " 1889,	4 00
" " " 1890,	8 00
Willie A. Dodge, " 1890,	8 00
Lyman H. Huntley, School Board, 1889,	32 00
Jonas W. Fletcher, " " "	23 00
" " " " 1890,	65 00
Geo. S. Russell, " " 1889,	18 00
" " " " 1890,	20 00
P. E. Fox, " " 1890,	8 00
E. A. Fox, Treasurer, 1889,	15 00
E. N. Howe, " 1890,	15 00
E. N. Howe, Town Clerk, 1889,	15 00
E. N. Howe, " " 1890,	15 00
E. N. Howe, Librarian, 1889,	25 00
E. N. Howe, " 1890,	25 00
G. H. Messer, Overseer of Poor, 1889,	20 00
G. H. Messer, " " " 1890,	20 00
F. A. Lewis, Collector of Taxes, 1889,	42 00
F. A. Lewis, " " " 1890,	45 00
Milan F. Jones, Sexton, 1889,	46 00
Milan F. Jones, " 1890,	35 00
Geo. W. Clyde, Auditor, 1889,	1 00
Geo. W. Clyde, " 1890,	1 00
I. S. Rogers, Moderator, 1890,	5 00
	$816 00

SCHOOL FUND.

Geo. S. Russell, Treasurer of School Board,	$1,127 65

FIRE TAX.

Daniel W. Howe,	$37 70

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

M. F. Jones, labor on Holland & Adams bridge,	$ 30 75
H. F. & G. S. Russell, labor, lumber and stone on sluice near Bartlett's,	44 37
E. B. Gee, bridge plank,	10 45
P. E. Fox, " "	6 45
A. S. Downing, bridge lumber,	25 58
G. E. Downing, plank,	14 53
L. M. Dunn, painting bridge,	6 30
W. A. Dodge, covering stone,	7 50
L. B. Huntley, labor on highway,	5 00
G. H. Messer, drawing stone for Burnap bridge,	13 50
M. F. Jones, " " " " "	27 00
Wallace French, repairing sluice,	2 50
W. S. Gray, Adams bridge,	2 25
Jones & Elliott, labor with road machine,	291 40
M. A. Knight, " " " "	51 37
Charles Nims, " " " "	45 37
Fread Veigneau, " " " "	51 86
Milan A. Knight, blasting stone, etc.,	6 75
Fred Veigneau, " " "	6 75
Charles Nims, " " "	2 35
James Burnap, bridge stringers,	35 67
James Burnap, watering tub,	3 00
M. F. Jones, labor on sluices, drawing stone and brush,	48 80
Horace Gee, watering tub,	3 00
Winslow Whittemore, labor on bridge,	1 50
	$743 90

REPAIRING SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

James Burnap,	$300 00
George S. Russell,	100 00
	$400 00

TOWN LIBRARY.

E. A. Jones, books for town library,	$50 00

COUNTY PAUPERS.

G. H. Messer, county paupers,	$247 40
G. H. Messer, " "	214 76
	$462 16

TOWN PAUPERS.

G. H. Messer, tramps,	$ 2 50
G. H. Messer, Lilian Winham,	20 00
G. H. Messer, " "	57 35
	$79 85

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

G. H. Messer,	$24 00
G. H. Messer,	29 00
	$53 00

SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS.

Harlan E. Honey,	$6 00
George S. Russell,	4 00
Willis L. Huntley,	9 00
	$19 00

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

E. N. Howe, State tax,	$1,175 00
E. N. Howe, County tax,	919 65

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Jonas W. Fletcher,	33 09
" "	41 78
" "	63 79
" "	121 04
" "	43 12
" "	41 00
	$343 82

MISCELLANEOUS.

John Q. Jones, use of Jones Hall, 1889,	$60 00
" " " " " 1890,	60 00
Geo. A. Petts, room and board for Supervisors,	8 25
W. H. Spalter, record and invoice books,	8 03
" " checklists,	1 00
Watkins & Booth, blacksmith bill,	1 70
J. D. Colony, printing reports,	52 80
Marshall Perkins, recording births and deaths,	5 50
Catherine Fox, over-taxation,	5 42
Fred A. Lewis, discount on taxes,	57 96
Milan F. Jones, stationery and postage,	3 00

D. W. Howe, memorial services,	38 00
Milan F. Jones, labor in cemetery,	10 00
G. H. Messer, Crammer and Winham case,	19 29
H. Towne, paint and powder,	6 35
James Burnap, repairs on wagon,	12 00
G. H. Messer, services and lawyer's fee on Crammer and Winham case,	35 00
	$384 30

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Oliver K. Gould, tax for 1890, non-payment,	$2 18
Alonzo Ingham, tax for 1890, paid in Vermont,	90
David A. Frail, tax for 1890, paid in Goshen,	90
Amanda Miller, tax for 1890, non-payment,	1 35
Isaiah Miller, tax for 1890, non-payment,	1 90
	$7 23

RECAPITULATION.

State tax,		$1,175 00
County tax,		919 65
Support of schools,		1,127 65
Repairs on school buildings,		400 00
School books, &c.,		343 82
County paupers,		462 16
Town paupers and tramps,		79 85
Dependent soldiers,		53 00
Town library,		50 00
Highways and bridges,		743 90
Town officers,		816 00
Miscellaneous,		384 30
Abatement of taxes,		7 23
Fire district tax,		37 70
Sheep killed by dogs,		19 00
Total paid,		$6,619 26
Total amount paid,		$6,619 26
Outstanding taxes, 1890,	$240 00	
Cash on hand,	1,353 79	
		$1,593 79
		$8,213 05

ASSETS.

Outstanding taxes, 1890,	$240 00	
Note and interest vs. G. H. McCoy,	29 63	
Note by C. Crammer, in hands of H. Parker,	50 00	
Cash on hand,	1,353 79	
		$1,673 42

LIABILITIES.

School money in treasury,	$126 13
Excess of assets over liabilities.	$1,546 29

Respectfully submitted,

MILAN F. JONES,
WM. S. GRAY,
FREEMAN PHELPS,

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1891.

The Treasurer charges himself as follows, to wit:

Duplicate receipt for school fund as receipted for by the selectmen in 1842.		$1,005 25
Note given town by G. H. McCoy, amount due March 1, 1891.	$29 63	

Cash received of E. A. Fox, treasurer for 1889,		$1,244 01
Received of Fred A. Lewis, collector, outstanding taxes for 1889,	$234 00	
Interest on taxes for 1889,	6 00	
		240 00
Received of the county of Cheshire by the Overseer of the Poor for the support of county paupers, April term,	247 40	
Do. October term,	214 76	
		462 16
Received of G. H. Messer from the county of Cheshire for aid to dependent soldiers and their families, April term,	24 00	
Do. October term,	29 00	
		53 00
Received of State Treasurer, insurance tax,	7 50	
" " " " savings bank tax,	2,915 36	
" " " " literary fund,	129 47	
		3,052 33
Cash received of Fred Crammer by the hands of G. H. Messer,	100 00	
Cash received of Wm. D. Friend for lot in cemetery,	10 00	
Cash received of M. F. Jones for use hearse,	3 00	
Cash received of F. A. Lewis, int. on 1890 taxes,	1 11	
		114 11
Taxes committed to Fred A. Lewis for collection for the year 1890,		3,047 44
		$8,213 05

The Treasurer credits himself as follows, to wit:

Duplicate receipt for school fund as receipted for by the selectmen in 1842,		$1,005 25
Note given town by G. H. McCoy, amount due March 1, 1891,	$29 63	
Cash paid in town orders,		$6,619 26
Outstanding taxes in the hands of Fred A. Lewis for collection for the year 1890,		240 00
Balance in treasury March 1st, 1891,		1,353 79
		$8,213 05

ELBRIDGE N. HOWE, Treasurer.

I have examined the financial reports of the Selectmen, Treasurer and other town officers, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE W. CLYDE, Town Auditor.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the town of Marlow, qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at Jones' Hall, in said town, on Tuesday, the tenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.

2. To choose three Selectmen, Town Treasurer, and Clerk.

3. To choose a Collector of Taxes, and all other necessary town officers and agents for the year ensuing.

4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools; for paying the town debts and defraying the interest thereon, and for other necessary charges arising in said town; for laying out and repairing highways and sidewalks, and building and repairing bridges; for the maintenance of the poor; for school-houses; and to establish and maintain public libraries, cemeteries, and parks or commons, and to improve the same; to prepare and publish the early history of the town.

5. To see if the Town will vote to re-appraise the real estate of said Town, and pass any vote relating thereto.

6. To hear the report of the Town Treasurer and Board of Selectmen to the Town Auditors; the reports of the Auditors, Agents, Committees, or other officers heretofore chosen or appointed, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To see if the town will fund its debt, or any part thereof, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

8. To transact all other business which may come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first (21st) day of February, A. D., 1891.

MILAN F. JONES,
WILLIAM S. GRAY,
FREEMAN PHELPS, } Selectmen of Marlow.

To THE SELECTMEN:—In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring "Clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

Births Registered in the Town of Marlow, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

Date 1890	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex, &c. Male	Female	Liv. or s. b.	No. of child	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Col. of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother
Jan. 29		"		L	8	w	Wallace H French	Charlotte Allen	w	Marlow, N H	Farmer	Bridgewater, Vt	Franklin, Vt.	38	32
April 5		"		"	2	"	George E Lyman	Linnie M Pike	w	"	Laborer	Alstead	Isle La Motte, Vt	30	29
June 5	Ralph V	"		"	1	"	Herbert F Herrick	Ella S Farley	w	"	"	Lempster	Marlow	21	18
July 28		"		"	1	"	Orison C Huntley	Flora B Baker	w	"	Farmer	Lempster	Marlow	25	24
Aug. 3			"	"	1	"	Milan W Streeter	Addie F Hayward	w	"	"	Langdon	Charlestown	45	33
Nov. 6			"	"	7	"	Edward R Baine	Lillian A Spooner	w	"	"	Galesburg, N Y	Springfield	39	32

Marriages Registered in the Town of Marlow, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Condition	Name and residence of Clergyman by whom married
Jan. 2	Keene	Herbert F Herrick	Marlow	21	w	Laborer	Lempster	Jackson V Herrick	Poland, Me	Laborer	1	S A Severance
		Ella S Farley	"	18	w		Marlow	Lucinda Lewis	Lempster		1	Keene, N H
								Lucias P Farley	Marlow	Peddler		
								Jane R Knight	"			
June 25	Newport	Waldo H Perkins	"	28	w	Clerk	"	Marshall Perkins	Croyden	Doctor	1	Chas W Dockrill
		Marian G Russell	"	20	w	Teacher	"	Harriet F Fisk	Marlow		1	Newport, N H
								George S. Russell	Washington	Farmer		
								Mary A Huntley	Marlow			
Oct. 29	Windham, Vt	George H Winham	"	24	w	Laborer	"	Curtis Winham	W Cambridge, Mass	"	1	Geo A Beckwith
		Jennie E Hodgskins	Alstead	22	w		Alstead	Sarah J Marsh	Alstead		1	Winham, Vt
								John N Hodgskins	Walpole	"		
								Frances M Holt				
Nov. 26	Acworth	Dexter R Washburn	Marlow	22	w	Laborer	Barnston, P Q	Eli Washburn	Alstead	"	1	T W Darling
		Annie D Johnson	Acworth	21	w		Somerville, Mass	Cordelia S Ellis	Springfield, Vt			Acworth
								Chester M Johnson	St Armand, P Q			
								Roxa Mith	"	"		
Nov. 27	Washingt'n	Henry J Powers	Marlow	36	w	Laborer	Washington	Levi M Powers	Berlin, Mass	Minister	2	W H Dowden
		Ada C Blanchard	Washingt'n	22	w	Teacher	"	Arabella Ryder	Woodford, Vt			Washington
								George Blanchard	Washington	Farmer	1	
								Maria S Russell	Lowell, Mass			

Deaths Registered in the Town of Marlow, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1890.

Date 1890	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Male	Female	Color	M., S., or Wid.	Occupation	Place of Birth: Father	Place of Birth: Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 23	Polly Rogers	92	2	14			"	w	w		Deering	Marlow	Robert Bradford	Lydia Munsell
Feb. 15	Alonzo A Mathewson	59	9	9	Acworth	"		w	m	Farmer	Acworth	Charlestown	Horace Mathewson	Dolly Chellis
May 16	Lucretia A Howard	56	9	12	Campton		"	w	m		Campton	Concord	Elijah Mitchell	Melinda Smart
Aug. 28	Romulus M Lowell	62	1		Washington	"		w	m	"	Washington	Stoddard	Moses Lowell	Sally Manning
Sept. 1	Mary A Burnap	70	10	7	Marlow		"	w	m		Unity	Marlow	Emerson Gilman	Delia Way
Sept. 2	Flora E Lowell	20	6				"	w	m		Vermont	Vermont	Henry M Boutwell	Ellen Coveny
Oct. 13	Andrew C Cram	71	3	13	Stoddard	"		w	m	"	Wilton	Greenfield	Andrew Cram	Sally Towne
Dec. 17	*Lorinda Kempton	82	5				"	w	w					
Dec. 19	Rev George C Noyes	56	2	19	Warren	"		w	m	Clergyman	Landaff	Warren	Enoch Noyes	Mary G Homan

* Died in Harrisville.

ELBRIDGE N. HOWE, Town Clerk.